

# Indiana Region CCCA sells special high zinc oil 15W-40 to protect old car engines

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The automobile industry and the American Petroleum Institute have produced motor oil which is designed to work in modern car engines, but which may be harmful to older car engines because of the huge reduction in the amount of zinc in the oil.

The Indiana Region of CCCA has designed and is selling an oil which is intended to meet the demands of vintage, preserved and classic automobile engines. The oil contains preservatives to keep oil in engine components even when the car is stored and not run frequently.

In addition it has a high ZDDP (zinc dialkyl dithio phosphate) concentration to protect valve train com-

ponents. The oil is formulated with detergents and dispersants to help keep the engine clean. High-grade viscosity modifiers have been included in the formula that do not significantly degrade with time or temperature. The oil is 15W-40.

The oil is called "Classic Car Motor Oil". It is manufactured exclusively for the Indiana Region by D-A Lubricant Company, Inc., 1340 West 29<sup>th</sup> St., Indianapolis, Ind. 46208.

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The oil is sold by the case (12 quarts) at \$42 plus \$7 shipping and handling. There may be a slightly higher price in the western U.S.

